

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO			<i>Complete if Known</i>		
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)			Application Number	10/687,958	
			Filing Date	October 17, 2003	
			First Named Inventor	David W. Burke	
			Group Art Unit	1743	
			Examiner Name		
Sheet	18	of	38	Attorney Docket Number	7404-557

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Application of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number-Kind Code ² (if known)				
/A.N./		6,129,823		10/10/2000	Hughes et al.	
		6,134,461		10/17/2000	Say et al.	
		6,136,549		10/24/2000	Feistel	
		6,136,610		10/24/2000	Polito et al.	
		6,143,164		11/07/2000	Heller et al.	
		6,143,247		11/07/2000	Sheppard, Jr. et al.	
		6,144,869		11/07/2000	Berner et al.	
		6,150,124		11/21/2000	Riedel	
		6,153,069		11/28/2000	Pottgen et al.	
		6,156,051		12/05/2000	Schraga	
		6,156,173		12/05/2000	Gotoh et al.	
		6,159,745		12/12/2000	Roberts et al.	
		RE 36,991		12/19/2000	Yamamoto et al.	
		6,162,611		12/19/2000	Heller et al.	
		6,162,639		12/19/2000	Douglas	
		2001053535 A1		12/20/2001	Ladisch et al.	
		6,168,563		01/02/2001	Brown	
/A.N./		6,168,957		01/02/2001	Matzinger et al.	

T.S.
9/11/08

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Application of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	†
		Country Code ³ -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵ (if known)					
/A.N./		WO 97/30344		08/21/1997	McAler et al.		
		WO 97/39341		10/29/1997	Fuller et al.		
		WO 97/39343		10/23/1997	Garnham et al.		
		WO 97/42882		11/20/1997	Douglas et al.		
		WO 97/42888		11/20/1997	Douglas et al.		
		WO 97/45719		12/04/1997	Kessler		
		WO 98/05424		02/12/1998	Chow		
/A.N./		WO 98/19153		05/07/1998	Vadgama et al.		

Examiner Signature	/Alexander Nogueroles/	Date Considered	07/15/2008
--------------------	------------------------	-----------------	------------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /A.N./